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Serial/Patent No. 08/889463 6072209	Filing Date July 8, 1997	Attorney Docket 303.322US1	Title FOUR F2 FOLDED BIT LINE DRAM CELL STRUCTURE HAVING BURIED BIT AND WORD LINES
09/527981	March 17, 2000	303.322US2	FOUR F2 FOLDED BIT LINE DRAM CELL STRUCTURE HAVING BURIED BIT AND WORD LINES
09/571352 6476434	May 16, 2000	303.322US3	FOUR F2 FOLDED BIT LINE DRAM CELL STRUCTURE HAVING BURIED BIT AND WORD LINES
08/889395 6191470	July 8, 1997	303.323US1	SEMICONDUCTOR-ON-INSULATOR MEMORY CELL WITH BURIED WORD AND BODY LINES
09/510095 6465298	February 22, 2000	303.323US2	SEMICONDUCTOR-ON-INSULATOR MEMORY CELL WITH BURIED WORD AND BODY LINES
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08/889553 ⁻ 5936274	July 8, 1997	303.342US1	HIGH DENSITY FLASH MEMORY
09/137328 6143636	August 20, 1998	303.342US2	HIGH DENSITY FLASH MEMORY
08/939742 6066869	October 6, 1997	303.379US1	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR A FOLDED BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/551027	April 17, 2000	303.379US2	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR A FOLDED BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH CAPACITOR
08/944890 6528837	October 6, 1997	303.380US1	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/143606 6156604	August 31, 1998	303.380US2	METHOD FOR MAKING AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/730245 6610566	December 5, 2000	303.380US3	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/010729 6025225	January 22, 1998	303.389US1	CIRCUITS WITH A TRENCH CAPACITOR HAVING MICRO- ROUGHENED SEMICONDUCTOR SURFACES AND METHODS FOR FORMING THE SAME
09/467992	December 20, 1999	303.389US2	CIRCUITS WITH A TRENCH CAPACITOR HAVING MICRO- ROUGHENED SEMICONDUCTOR SURFACES

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08/944312 5914511	October 6, 1997	303.391US1	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR A FOLDED BIT LINE MEMORY USING TRENCH PLATE CAPACITOR CELLS WITH BODY BIAS CONTACTS
09/138796 6156607	August 24, 1998	303.391US2	METHOD FOR A FOLDED BIT LINE MEMORY USING TRENCH PLATE CAPACITOR CELLS WITH BODY BIAS CONTACTS
08/939732 5907170	October 6, 1997	303.393US1	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/138794 6165836	August 24, 1998	303.393US2	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/742568 6537871	December 20, 2000	303.393US3	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR
09/028249 5963469	February 24, 1998	303.399US1	VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ ACCESS
00/20074	,		FOR LOW VOLTAGE MEMORY CELL
09/328074 6317357	June 8, 1999	303.399US2	FOR LOW VOLTAGE MEMORY CELL VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ ACCESS FOR LOW VOLTAGE MEMORY CELL
	June 8,	303.399US2 303.405US1	VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ ACCESS
6317357 09/031621	June 8, 1999 February		VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ ACCESS FOR LOW VOLTAGE MEMORY CELL PROGRAMMABLE MEMORY ADDRESS DECODE ARRAY WITH

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6597037	26, 2000		ADDRESS DECODE ARRAYS WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTOR
09/032617 6124729	February 27, 1998	303.406US1	FIELD PROGRAMMABLE LOGIC ARRAYS WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/520494 6486027	March 8, 2000	303.406US2	FIELD PROGRAMMABLE LOGIC ARRAYS WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/129047 6208164	August 4, 1998	303.407US1	PROGRAMMABLE LOGIC ARRAY WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/756089 6515510	January 8, 2001	303.407US2	PROGRAMMABLE LOGIC ARRAY WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/756099 6486703	January 8, 2001	303.407US3	PROGRAMMABLE LOGIC ARRAY WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/128848 6134175	August 4, 1998	303.408US1	MEMORY ADDRESS DECODE ARRAY WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/650600 6498065	August 30, 2000	303.408US2	MEMORY ADDRESS DECODE ARRAY WITH VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/028805 6242775	February 24, 1998	303.410US1	CIRCUITS AND METHODS USING VERTICAL, COMPLEMENTARY TRANSISTORS
09/514493 6294418	February 29, 2000	303.410US2	CIRCUITS AND METHODS USING VERTICAL, COMPLEMENTARY TRANSISTORS
09/028807 6246083	February 24, 1998	303.412US1	VERTICAL GAIN CELL AND ARRAY FOR A DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY AND METHOD FOR FORMING THE SAME

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09/028727 6304483	February 24, 1998	303.462US1	CIRCUITS AND METHODS FOR A STATIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORY USING VERTICAL TRANSISTORS
09/060048 6043527	April 14, 1998	303.464US1	CIRCUITS AND METHODS FOR A MEMORY CELL WITH A TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR AND A VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ DEVICE
09/498433 6381168	February 4, 2000	303.464US2	CIRCUITS AND METHODS FOR A MEMORY CELL WITH A TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR AND A VERTICAL BIPOLAR READ DEVICE
10/361986	February 11, 2003	303.380US4	CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR AN OPEN BIT LINE MEMORY CELL WITH A VERTICAL TRANSISTOR AND TRENCH PLATE TRENCH CAPACITOR

Respectfully submitted,

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